AGENDA CITY OF PLEASANT HILL ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW COMMISSION

November 6, 2008 5:00 P.M.

Large Community Room, 100 Gregory Lane, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523 www.ci.pleasant-hill.ca.us (925) 671-5209

CHAIR: JOHN HART

VICE CHAIR: JILL BERGMAN

MEMBERS: GEORGE CORRIGAN, THOR SCORDELIS, RICHARD STANTON

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An appeal of the decision or conditions of the Architectural Review Commission to the City Council must be filed in writing with the City within 10 calendar days of the mailed notice of decision.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

PUBLIC COMMENT

The public is welcome at this time to address the Architectural Review Commission on any subject, with the exception of scheduled items. Comments are limited to three minutes per speaker.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTES

October 16, 2008

PUBLIC HEARINGS

1. ARC 08-022, NORTHRIDGE APARTMENTS, 235 CAMELBACK ROAD

Staff Report and Attachments

The applicant is requesting approval to re-paint the existing residential buildings with a new color scheme. The Commission approved a color palette on October 2, 2008;

however, the applicant is requesting that a different color scheme be approved. The zoning designation is $MRH - Multiple\ Family - High\ Density$. Assessor Parcel Number: 153-370-223

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2. <u>ARC 08-020 / S 08-029</u>, <u>SUNVALLEY SHOPPING CENTER RENOVATION</u>, 703-707 <u>CONTRA COSTA BLVD</u>

Staff Report
Attachments A – B
Attachment C
Attachments D - F

The applicant is requesting approval for improvements to an existing entry way into Sun Valley Shopping Center, including landscape modifications, lighting modifications and installation of one 18-foot tall monument sign within the median. The landscape improvements include expanding existing landscape areas, relocating one tree, removing 16 trees, the planting 56 new tress. Originally, the applicant also proposed a new wayfinding sign in front of the existing Mervyn's site; however the applicant has decided to not include the wayfinding sign in their application. The zoning designation is *RB* - *Retail Business*.

The site consists of two parcels, at 1.71 and 8.04 acres. The assessor's parcel numbers are 153-230-003 and 153-230-005.

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DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Continue discussion of architectural review process improvement suggestions from the October 16, 2008 study session and provide input/recommendations to staff.

<u>Memorandum</u>

STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

1. St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 1601 Mary Drive

Memorandum

UPCOMING PROJECTS AND FUTURE MEETINGS

ADJOURNMENT

Adjourn to a regular meeting of the Architectural Review Commission on November 20, 2008, at 5:00 P.M., in the Large Community Room, 100 Gregory Lane, Pleasant Hill.